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Allocation of Funds for Modernisation of Railway Stations
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of funds sanctioned, released and expenditure incurred for modernisation of railway stations in the country during the last two years i.e. 2015-16 and 2016-17, zone-wise and the funds released during the current year particularly for the State of West Bengal; and
(b) the details of impediments, if any, faced in modernisation of railway stations?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN)
(a): State-wise details of funds allocated are not maintained. The expenditure on works of modernization of Railway Stations is generally funded under Plan Head − 'Passenger Amenities'. Zone-wise details of funds allocated/spent under budgetary sources, including Eastern Railway, Northeast Frontier Railway and South Eastern Railway, which cover the State of West Bengal, under Plan-head 'Passenger Amenities' during the last two years i.e. 2015-16 and 2016-17 and the current year are appended.
(b): At present, modernisation of stations is undertaken under 'Adarsh' Station Scheme. Presently, there are no impediments in implementation of scheme of developing stations under 'Adarsh' Station Scheme.
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